GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – M.A. & U.D. Department – Allegations against Sri Devi Prasad, former Sanitary Inspector (Retd.), Jaggaiahpeta Municipality, Krishna District for committing certain irregularities in payment of wages to the workers and malpractices in day-to-day administration of Jaggaiahpeta Municipality – Charges framed – Inquiry conducted – Articles of charge not held proved – Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 1324 **Dated: 25-11-2025**

Read the following:-

1. From the DMA, AP, Hyderabad, Lr.Roc.No.26141/2013/C1, dated 09.11.2015.
2. G.O.Rt.Nos.153, MA & UD(Vig.II-2) Dept., dated 26.03.2016.
3. G.O.MS.Nos.75, MA & UD(Vig.II-2) Dept., dated 26.03.2016.
4. G.O.Rt.Nos.155, MA & UD(Vig.II-2) Dept., dated 26.03.2016.
5. Govt.Memo.No.85598/Vig.II/2015-1, dated 26.03.2016 and 15.02.2019.
6. From the DMA., A.P., Guntur vide letters, dated 15.02.2019 & 21.02.2019.
7. G.O.Rt.No.247 & 248, MA & UD (Vig.II) Dept., dated 15.03.2019.
8. From Sri G. Srinivasa Rao, RDMA, Guntur & Inquiry Officer, Letter Roc.No.GSR/02/Jaggaiahpet/2019, dated 21.01.2023.
9. Govt.Memo.No.85598(E.40167)/Vig.II.I/2015/A1-5, dated 12.06.2023.
10. From the C&DMA, AP Lr.Roc.No.26141(E-109019)/2013/C2, dated: 07-09- 2025 along with representation, dated 18.08.2025 received from Sri Devi Prasad, former S.I.

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O R D E R:

Whereas, in the reference 2nd read above, common disciplinary proceedings under Rule 24 of the A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 were initiated against (1) Sri B. Ram Mohan, the then Municipal Commissioner, (2) Sri Devi Prasad, former Sanitary Inspector, and (3) Sri L. Ramudu, former Junior Assistant of Jaggaiahpeta Municipality, Krishna District, for committing certain irregularities in payment of wages to the workers and malpractices in day-to-day administration of Jaggaiahpeta Municipality and in the reference 4th read above, Articles of charge were framed against Sri Devi Prasad, former Sanitary Inspector.

2. The Charged Officer did not submit a written statement of defence. However, the DMA has furnished the served copies in respect of Sri B. Devi Prasad, former S.I., along with others of Jaggaiahpet Municipality to Govt., for taking further necessary action in the matter vide reference 6th read above.

3. Whereas, in the reference 7th read above, Sri G. Srinivasa Rao, RDMA, Guntur, was appointed as Inquiring Authority to conduct a regular inquiry into the articles of charges framed against the said officers, and the Commissioner, Jaggaiahpeta Municipality, was appointed as Presenting Officer to present the

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case on behalf of the Disciplinary Authority. The Inquiring Authority conducted a detailed inquiry and submitted his report in the reference 8th read above, wherein the Inquiring Authority held that the charges are not proved against Sri B. Devi Prasad.

4. Whereas, in reference 9th read above, a copy of the Inquiry Report was communicated to the remaining two Charged Officers, viz., Sri B. Devi Prasad, former Sanitary Inspector (Retd.) and Sri L. Ramudu, former Jr. Asst. (now dismissed from service), under Rule 21(2) of the A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991, calling for their written representations within 15 days.

5. Whereas, in the reference 10th read above, the C&DMA, A.P., forwarded the representation of Sri B. Devi Prasad, former Sanitary Inspector (Retd.), wherein he has requested that further action in the matter be dropped, as the Inquiry Authority had held that the charges against him were not proved.

6. And whereas, after careful examination of the findings of the Inquiring Authority and the representation submitted by the Charged Officer, Government have decided to drop further action against Sri B . Devi Prasad, former Sanitary Inspector (Retd.), Jaggaiahpeta Municipality, as the articles of charge are not held proved. Accordingly, the Government hereby drop further action against him.

7. The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Vaddeswaram, shall take necessary action accordingly and acknowledge receipt of this G.O. forthwith.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

S. SURESH KUMAR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri B. Devi Prasad, former Sanitary Inspector (Retd.), Jaggaiahpeta Municipalitythrough CDMA, A.P., Vaddeswaram
The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Vaddeswaram .
Copy to:
The Regional Director-cum-Appellate Commissioner of Municipal Administration, Rajahmundry.
The Commissioner, Jaggaiahpeta Municipality
The A.P. Vigilance Commission, A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi.
The OSD to Hon'ble Minister (MA&UD).
The PS to Principal Secretary to Govt., MA&UD.
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